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Rock River Assembly Opens at Dixon Tomorrow

R. R. ASSEMBLY OPENS TOMORROW

TWENTY-FIFTH ASSEMBLY SESSION IS ABOUT TO OPEN.

OPENING WILL BREAK RECORDS

Universal Love for Beautiful Character of Speaker of the Day, Mrs. Maud Ballington Booth, Will Attract Enormous Crowd.

ROCK RIVER ASSEMBLY PROGRAM

ABBREVIATIONS—(A) Auditorium
(B) Bible Hall
(C) Chautauque Hall

OPENING DAY, SATURDAY, JULY 27

1:00 p.m.—(Park) Concert, Dixon Marine Band

2:00 p.m.—(A) Opening Exercises—Rev. W. H. Blancke, platform manager, presiding. Invited Address of Welcome by Anson E. Thummel, Sterling, Ill., President Board of Directors, Vocal Solo, Miss Ruth C. Benkert, Davenport, Iowa.

2:30 p.m.—(A) Recital, "A Heart Story", Miss Maud Ballington Booth, of the Volunteers of America.

4:00 p.m.—(Physical Culture Club Tent) Organization of Physical Culture Classes and Girls Club, Miss A. Wahl, Sterling, Ill. (Boys Club Tent) Organization of Boy's Club, Prof. R. A. Allen, Chicago, Ill.

4:30 p.m.—(C) Recital, "The Continental European Year", G. L. S. Course, 1912-1913, Supt. H. V. Baldwin.

7:00 p.m.—(Park) Concert, Dixon Marine Band

8:00 p.m.—(A) Grand Concert, The Ernest Gamble Concert Party.

SUNDAY, JULY 28

9:30 a.m.—(A) Assembly Sunday School, Theodore Trout, Sterling, Ill., General Superintendent; Dr. A. Beard, Polo, Ill., Assistant Superintendent, Special Music Offering for Nachusa Organizing.

10:30 a.m.—(A) Divine Worship, Lutheran Common Service used Vocal Solo, Miss Ruth C. Krueger, Richmond, Ind. Sermon, Rev. G. S. Waltz, D. D., Louisville, Ky.

4:30 p.m.—(A) Vocal Solo, Miss Ruth Benkert Lecture, "The Brazen Serpent," Miss Marie C. Breit.

6:30 p.m.—(C) Young People's Meeting, led by Miss Celia Lyday, Superintendent Bethany Work, Newton, Iowa.

6:30 p.m. in Riverside Sunset Service in charge Rev. E. P. Schuler, D. D.

8:00 p.m.—(A) Sacred Concert—The Ernest Gamble Concert Party.

Rock River Assembly opens its 25th annual session tomorrow afternoon and the indications are that the opening day will be bigger than in any previous years.

Many campers are on the grounds, have been coming in all day and will continue to arrive tomorrow. Practically all the tents are up. Preparations for handling a crowd running into the thousands have been made.

Mrs. Maud Ballington Booth, the speaker of the afternoon, will arrive tomorrow forenoon. Many hundreds are expected to come to hear Mrs. Booth, familiarly known as the "Little Mother of the Prisons."

Mrs. Booth is known not only for her work among the lowly, but as a forcible and eloquent orator, who appeals to all the finer attributes of her hearers and because of her winning personality draws a packed audience to her lecture.

The program starts at 1 o'clock tomorrow afternoon with a concert by the Dixon Marine band. The opening exercises begin at 2 o'clock with Rev. W. H. Blancke, platform manager of former years, presiding. The invocation will be followed by the address of welcome by Anson E. Thummel of Sterling, president of the board of directors.

Mrs. Booth's lecture will be preceded by a vocal solo by Miss Ruth Benkert of Davenport, a young vocalist who on past programs made a decidedly favorable impression on Assembly patrons.

The evening program tomorrow will be a grand concert by the Ernest Gamble Concert Party. This party is known from coast to coast and will undoubtedly make a hit with its audience.

The Round Table will hold its first meeting at 4:30, with Supt. H. V. Baldwin in charge. The subject is the "Continental European Year."

At 4 p.m. the boys' and girls physical culture clubs are to be organized. Miss A. M. Wahl of Sterling will have charge of the girls' organization and Prof. R. A. Allen of Chicago, the boys'.

The Twilight Meeting.

Bethany meetings are held at twilight each evening except Sunday.

The services consist of short, simple



NO CASH WENT TO ROOSEVELT

Sheldon Says Colonel Knew Nothing of \$250,000 Given by Harriman.

GIFT FOR STATE CAMPAIGN

Declares He Knew Unofficially That J. P. Morgan & Co. and Henry C. Frick Were 1904 Contributors—Can't Recall Amounts.

Washington, July 26.—George R. Sheldon, treasurer of the Republican national committee in 1908, testified before the senate committee investigating campaign funds that the late Edward H. Harriman helped "get together" \$250,000, which was used in 1904. This, he declared, was to swing the Republican victory in New York and not for Theodore Roosevelt's election as president.

Roosevelt Didn't Know.

The witness declared that Roosevelt did not know of Harriman's contribution until long after the election.

Mr. Sheldon said he knew unofficially that J. P. Morgan & Co. and Henry C. Frick were contributors in 1904. He could not remember the amounts which the Morgan firm or Mr. Frick gave in 1904, but classed them among the large contributors.

Senator Paynter introduced the subject of Mr. Harriman's contribution. He asked Mr. Sheldon to tell what he knew about it.

Got Together \$250,000.

"About two weeks before the election," said Sheldon, "Governor Odell, who was state chairman, came to Mr. Bliss, then treasurer of the Republican national committee, and stated that, whereas it was perfectly clear that Mr. Roosevelt would be elected, the state ticket was in doubt.

"He asked for some money. Mr. Bliss said he had no money, but he would see what he could do. He went to Mr. Harriman and Mr. Harriman got together some \$250,000 and that money was handed to the state committee and never went to the national committee."

Mr. Sheldon referred to his books and said the contributions to the national committee in 1908 amounted to \$1,655,518.27.

Mr. Sheldon was excused with the understanding that he might be recalled after the committee had examined the books.

SUBLETTE WOMAN ASKS FOR DIVORCE

MRS. JULIA PASLAY WOULD DIVORCE HUSBAND AND KEEP CHILD.

Through her attorney, E. H. Brewster, of this city, Mrs. Julia Paslay of Sublette has filed suit for divorce from her husband, Everett Paslay, in the Lee county circuit court. In her bill she states that she was married to the defendant at Amboy Aug. 17, 1905, and that she lived with him as kind and dutiful wife until May 14, 1908, when he deserted her.

She asks the custody of their one child, Vesta Henry Isaac Pasley, age 6, and also the right to resume her maiden name, Julia Fahs.

POULTRYMEET MEET TONIGHT.

An important meeting of the Dixon Poultry association will be held at Youngman's coal office in Dementon this evening.

MISSMAN FARM SOLD.

Sam Patterson yesterday closed negotiations for the purchase of the John Missman farm of 100 acres in South Dixon, which adjoins his place on the east. The consideration was not made public. Mr. Patterson will take possession of the farm the first of March.

STERLING SALESMEN HERE FOR PICNIC

A special car bearing the traveling men of Lawrence Bros. Manufacturing company of Sterling arrived at 2 p.m. From here they were taken up the river in launches for a picnic supper, part of the entertainment the firm has provided for its road men during their annual meeting.

HUGH FLANNERY AT OAK PARK.

Hugh Flannery, who formerly had the management of the Dixon opera house, has been appointed manager of the Warrington theatre at Oak park by the owners the George Amusement company, and he will leave Rockford Tuesday to assume his new duties. Miss Grace Howard is playing stock permanently at this house.

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SELF ICE CREAM PARLORS WILL HOLD OPENING

Chas. Self, who recently purchased the Preston ice cream parlors, has made a number of changes in same and on Saturday evening will hold an informal opening. All ladies will be presented with a souvenir to make the occasion memorable. Mr. Self has provided music for the entire evening.

MRS. FLANNERY RECOVERING

Frank Flannery is here from Rockford for a short visit, and incidentally he brings very good news from the bedside of his mother, Mrs. Hugh Flannery, who has been so very ill at the Rockford hospital. He reports that she is convalescing satisfactorily and that the physicians anticipate her quick recovery.

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DAUGHTER BORN

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Social Happenings

July 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24.

Following the program the evening was spent in dancing, music being furnished by the Marquette orchestra, and refreshments added to the enjoyment of those present.

Moves to Assembly.

Dr. F. D. Altman, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church, and his family, will move to Assembly park today and occupy the Vail cottage. Should any one desire to confer with him, the phone number of his new quarters is 2-11940.

Motor to Sterling.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Gerdes and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Herbst and son will motor to Sterling this evening.

Scramble Tea.

Twenty-five friends of Miss Magie Flinck were entertained last evening at her home at a scramble tea. The guests enjoyed themselves playing croquet until dark, when music was enjoyed until a late hour. Dainty refreshments were served and all spent a most enjoyable evening.

At Watson Home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Patterson and two sons of Chicago, motored to Dixon today for a few days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Watson. Mrs. Patterson was formerly Miss Evelyn Watson.

Sterling Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Woodburn and daughter Katherine, LaRue Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Royer were entertained at supper Tuesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Brewster of Lowell Park, near Dixon.—Sterling Standard.

Many Enjoyed Elks' Dance.

The mid-summer dance and social given at the Elks club last evening for the members of the lodge and their families was very well attended and all enjoyed the evening fully. Mesdames E. A. Sickels and Lee Read sang beautifully at the concert prior to the dancing. Mrs. Read's selections being "I Know a Hill" by Wepley, and "In the Land Where the Dreams Come True," by Metcalf. Mrs. Sickels sang Godard's Lullaby from Jocelyn and Clatier's "The World is Full of April."

Picnicked at Assembly.

The employees of the O. H. Martin dry goods store last evening enjoyed a picnic supper at Assembly park.

At Assembly.

Mrs. Lyman Booth has moved to Assembly park for the summer session.

At Shock Home.

Mrs. John Lievan and Miss Mamie Remmers were entertained yesterday at the home of the former's daughter, Mrs. John Sauck, of South Dixon.

Guests at Stiteley Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Manat of Brooklyn, Ia., are here visiting at the home of their daughter, Mrs. F. E. Stiteley, and husband on Hennepin avenue.

Visiting at Keweenaw.

Miss Anna Coffey left yesterday for Keweenaw to visit Miss Kitie O'Connell, formerly of this city.

Motored to Lowell.

Misses Valentine and Alice Swanson of Chicago, Miss Clara Hasselberg, Mrs. Henry Hasselberg, Mrs. S. W. Miller, Harry, Leon and Marie Miller motored to Lowell park last evening in the Miller car and enjoyed a picnic supper.

Camping at Grand Detour.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hemmen, Misses Blanche Ivan, Mazie Gibbs of Chicago are enjoying a two weeks' camp at Grand Detour.

Pioneer Whist Club.

The Pioneer Whist club spent a delightful afternoon, followed by a scramble tea at Mrs. Warner's cottage, Sutliss, today. The moonlight ride on the river on the return trip will be a pleasant feature of the affair.

To Dedicate Cottage.

"The Bunch" will this evening deduct with a porch program and a parlor with a porch program and a scramble supper. A delightful evening is anticipated by the bunch.

Peru Guest.

Miss Alia Schadensack of Peru, Ill., is the guest of Miss Irene Eichenberg on Galena avenue.

Picnic Supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Slothrop and Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Gyleck enjoyed a picnic supper at the Assembly park last evening.

Entertained Friends.
Mrs. H. L. Lyon, mother of Mrs. Wm. Smith, entertained a few of her friends at the cottage at the Assembly yesterday afternoon.

Beefsteak Fry.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sproul, Miss Luna Sproul and Louis Schumm enjoyed a beefsteak fry at Lowell park Thursday evening.

Picnic Today.

A picnic was given this afternoon at Lowell park in honor of Mrs. H. E. Finney of San Francisco and Miss Eells of Faribault, Minn.

Two Weeks Camp.

Mrs. C. Lincoln and Mrs. S. Reed will spend two weeks camping at the Assembly grounds in Dixon during the Assembly.—Sterling Standard.

Spent Day at Pines.

Rev. and Mrs. Fred Stone and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Ahrens motored to the Pines yesterday in the former's automobile and enjoyed a picnic dinner there. The event was in honor of the wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Ahrens.

Visiting Dixon Relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Card and son Charles of Preston, Ia., are here visiting at the home of Mrs. Card's mother, Mrs. E. A. Malarkey.

To Visit in Dixon.

Ella Redmond of Kalamazoo, Mich., will arrive tomorrow to spend two weeks' vacation at the home of her cousin, Mrs. Walter Preston.

At Dinner.

Miss Nellie Weed of Elgin, who is here visiting relatives was entertained at dinner at the Collins Dasyart home on Crawford avenue, Wednesday.

To Visit Relatives.

Mrs. Ellen Z. Teall and daughter, Mrs. Carroll Hall, of Houston, Tex., formerly of this city, arrived Wednesday for a visit with friends and relatives.

Spend Vacation in Dakota.

Miss Margare Lehman left today for Sioux Falls, S. D., to spend her vacation. While there she will be the guest of her aunts, Mrs. Timmerman and Mrs. Mossholder.

At Lowell Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Barry Lennon, Dr. Clevidence and Misses Florence and Hazel Noble enjoyed a picnic supper at Lowell park last evening.

Picnic at Lowell.

Misses Hazel Graves and Alice Williamson and Messrs. Nate Morrill and Joan Kelley enjoyed a launch ride and picnic supper at Lowell park last evening.

Enjoyed Picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Valle, Mr. and Mrs. Yonts and Miss Casey enjoyed a picnic luncheon at Lowell park last evening.

To Visit in Iowa.

Miss Agnes Conley and mother and niece, Lucile Conley, left today for a two weeks' visit in Iowa.

METHODIST TENT AT THE ASSEMBLY

The Methodist Church of this city has rented a tent for the benefit of its members and friends during the Assembly.

It has been conveniently located just north of the auditorium and will be equipped with conveniences for those who desire to rest or eat their lunches.

In order to keep those who may desire to remain there until evening informed of the city's doings, the Telegraph will be delivered to the tent each evening.

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WM. N. BRADY,
1532 First National Bank Bldg., Chicago, Ill.

LOST. Black leather handbag containing \$1.10 and a pair of black silk gloves. Finder please call X12, panned by his mother, Mrs. White, Farmers' Board. Mrs. Grace Mumma, who visited her granddaughter also

75 3° for some time.

HOMES OF AUTHORS**Some Live Within the Haunts They Write Of.**

But Arnold Bennett Pictures the Black Midlands from Fontainebleau; Hall Caine Surveys Isle of Man From Greeba Castle.

London. London may be the literary center of the British Isles, but our leading authors prefer to live and work somewhere on the circumference. Most of the novelists, at any rate, escape beyond reach of the motor-buses. Some of them have chosen to breathe the atmosphere of their own books. J. M. Barrie's postal address is Kirriemuir, which is the name that map-makers give to Thrums. Thomas Hardy and Sir Arthur Quiller-Couch likewise dwell among their own people, the one in Wessex and the other in the Delectable Duchy. Hall Caine surveys the Isle of Man from the windows, or possibly the battlements and loopholes, of Greeba Castle. Others are widely scattered over the shires. Rider Haggard is a country squire in Norfolk. Mrs. Steel lives in North Wales, Maurice Hewlett at Salisbury, Mrs. Humphry Ward in Herts, J. K. Jerome and G. K. Chesterton in Bucks, Joseph Conrad in Kent, and W. W. Jacobs in Essex.

No one would ever guess where Arnold Bennett has been making his home for some years. His studies of life in the Black Country of the English Midlands have been written at Fontainebleau! Though only a day's journey distant, he has thus been practically as much in exile from his Five Towns as Stevenson was from Edinburgh when in Samoa. He has now finally put aside all temptations to belong to other nations, and has

To Open Armory Gids.

The bids for the construction of George J. Downing's new garage and armory building on First street will be opened by him and the architect Wednesday, and if the proposals are satisfactory, work on the building will be commenced and rushed to completion before cold weather begins.

Robert Kimbro of Sterling was in Dixon today.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Long of Decatur, former Dixon residents, are here for a month's visit with Mrs. Jerry Moyer.

ASSESSMENT ROLL READY.

City Clerk Blake Grover, who is commissioner of assessments, has completed the assessment roll for the macadam work done on East McKinley street, from Crawford to Jefferson avenues, and has issued notice that the first of the ten installments will be due Jan. 2, 1913. The first assessment is for \$325.45, the others being for \$300 each, with interest at 5 per cent until paid.

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There will be a choir rehearsal at the Lutheran church this evening.

Mrs. H. E. Finney arrived yesterday from San Francisco to visit with friends. For the present she is at the home of Miss Nonie Rosbrook.

Miss Ruth Smith has returned from a visit in Chicago.

Mrs. Helen Nelson of Chicago and Mrs. H. W. Klosterman, on Wednesday.

Mrs. Geo. Graves and Mrs. Danham visited at the home of Mrs. Ed. Graves on the north side yesterday.

Miss Clara Webster, who has been in training at the Michael Reese hospital in Chicago, is visiting relatives here.

Misses Helen Nelson of Chicago and Hazel Green are guests at the S. W. Miller home this week.

Atty. Harry Warner and friend called at the Harry Warner home at the Bend last evening.

Arthur Jewell, who is connected with the school for the blind at Jack sonville, is here enjoying his annual visit with his friend, Jake Egler.

Wm. Kromer of Mt. Carroll was here yesterday.

Mrs. Ethel Quall and Mrs. Wayne Parker of Harmon were here yesterday.

Miss Marian Waterman will arrive home from Crystal Lake this evening.

Mr. White of Cullom who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. S. W. Lehman, has returned home, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. White, Farmers' Board. Mrs. Grace Mumma, who visited her granddaughter also

75 3° for some time.

ISSUED BY

DIXON NATIONAL BANK

I MET COUSIN MAUD on the street today.

Her complexion was as clear and fair as a lily.

No freckles or tan. She told me the secret. She uses

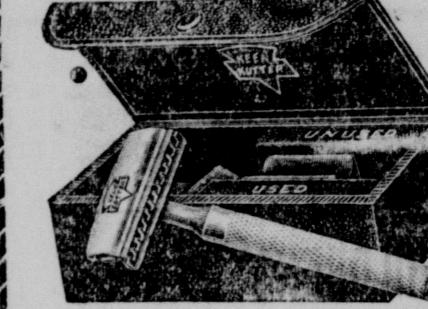
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DEMENTTOWN

Attention girls! Lloyd Miller, the handsome young man who works at the depot for the American Express company, is thinking of going to Sterling. It does beat all how just as these young ladies get acquainted with these young fellows, they leave.

Still Harry Gerdes is left, and he's sticking on pretty well.

Foreman Jack Kelley of the I. N. U. Co. pole gang, went to Franklin Grove this morning, taking his army with him. Also John Donovan went with them.

The hunters will get busy in Amboy tomorrow looking for the bull moose.

Incidentally the grand opening of the Assembly will attract quite some attention.

The Height of Well-Wishing.

(From the 'Steamed News')

Carpenter Huber will leave tomorrow morning for Peoria where he will join the Dubuque team of the Three Eye league, he having been signed by Dubuque as a pitcher. His many friends in this city join in hoping and badly lacerated her leg on a nail, pany.

Great for Machines.

Want ad in Telegraph: Wanted—To buy a washing machine and a phonograph.

Can it be that the brute is going to be mean enough to sit and listen to the music while his wife pumps the other machine?

She Knew Them.

Scene—Street in West Dixon.

Personae Dramatis—Two young riding in automobile; pretty young lady walking.

The auto overtakes the pedestrian, and the driver stopping his car, addresses her:

He—Wouldn't you like to ride down town with us?

She—Why, certainly. Thanks.

(Several minutes elapse).

She—I've just been taking a lesson in driving my ne' car.

First He—Why, have you a car?

She—Yes.

He—Well, if you'll bring it around some afternoon I'll teach you how to run it.

She—Oh, there's no necessity or that. I'm doing very well.

He—Well, I may be able to show you something about the engine, the spark plug, etc.

She—Humph. I know all about spark plugs. I've been sparking for a couple of years, and to be honest with you, every fellow I've been sparking was a plug.

(Curtain, with dim green lights).

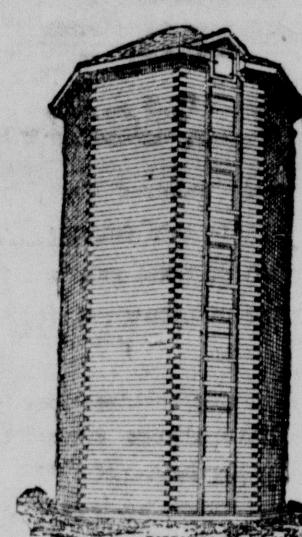
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WILLIAM M. BULLITT



RENEWS ATTACK ON TAFT

House Speaker Says Patronage Threat Won Delegates.

Washington, July 26.—Representative Norris, progressive Republican of Nebraska, resumed his speech in the house attacking the nomination of President Taft. He read a letter purporting to have been sent to Republicans in Texas by H. F. Magregor warning officeholders that the patronage depended on the re-election of Mr. Taft.

"I hope the time will come," cried Mr. Norris, "and God grant that it come soon, that a man who gains or holds office by the bribery of patronage will be held in the estimation of the American people as guilty as he who buys office with cold cash."

HELEN GOULD JARS PASTOR

Replies to Man Who Would Banish Old Maids to a Barren Island.

Grand Junction, Colo., July 26.—When Rev. Elmer V. Huffner, who has resigned as pastor of the First Christian church, delivered a sermon recently advocating the exile of old maids to a barren island as waste humanity, he anticipated local resentment, possibly, but hardly expected to find himself at issue with Miss Helen Gould of New York. In a letter he has just received Miss Gould declared that many preachers would be without work and without wives and homes were it not for old maids.

Girl Dies in Hailstorm.

Sheridan, Wyo., July 26.—Word has been received from the ranch of M. Walsh, northeast of Sheridan, that a five-year-old daughter of Mr. Walsh was caught out in the hailstorm and so badly bruised by the hailstones that she died.

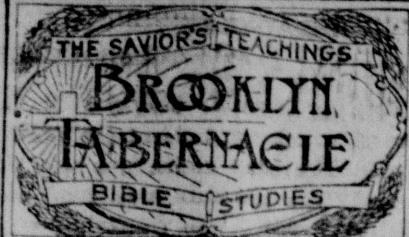
Crew Strikes; Tourists Held.

Hancock, Mich., July 26.—The crew of the Anchor line passenger steamer Octorara, from chf engineer down, alleging that it did not get enough to eat, struck, tying the boat at this port w/ 300 tourists on board.

Common

Sense Silo

WILLIAM M. BULLITT



GOD'S WHEAT FIELD.

Matthew xiii, 24-30, 36-43. July 23.
"Gather ye together first the tares, and bind them in bundles to burn them, but gather the wheat into My garner."—Verse 30.

UR International Sunday School Lessons are specially helpful this year. We are glad that the selection contains so many lessons on the Kingdom. This topic has not had sufficient consideration.

Today's study is another of the Kingdom parables. It is the embryo Kingdom that is pictured; it relates to this Gospel Age, and the work of selecting the Church.

"The Field Is the World."

This parable also shows us the very commencement of the Lord's call for His Bride from amongst all nations. St. Paul declares to the Jews,

"It was necessary that the Gospel should be preached first unto you, but seeing ye reject it, * * * lo, we turn to the Gentiles." (Acts xiii, 46.) The entire world constituted the "field" for the sowing of the "good seed," which is strictly defined, "the Gospel of the Kingdom."

Jesus and the Apostles sowed this "seed," and all His true followers since have been authorized to continue the work in His name. But the Adversary, Satan, as pointed out here in the parable, brought in a different kind of "seed," and sowed this over the "wheat field."

The result is that today the "tares" are so plentiful that they think they are the "wheat," and the world in general so considers them.

The "wheat" class are considered "a peculiar people." Of their good fruits the Apostle mentions meekness and humility, and these tend to blemish their heads, while the "tares" stand proudly up in the display of their "form of godliness."

The Lord allowed the matter to go on, fully assured that He would have in the end the crop which He desired, and very content to allow a great lesson to be taught by the presence of the "tares" and the ultimate treatment accorded the "wheat."

The Lord could have hindered the Adversary from bringing in the false doctrines, or He could have separated tares classes ago between the wheat and tare classes, but this was not according to His intention. He purpose to let both grow together until the Harvest.

In the Common Version the words,

"The Harvest is the end of the world,"

have been seriously misunderstood. It does not mean the end of time, nor the end of the earth—it's destruction—nor the end of Divine favor. It merely means the end of the present age.

"In the Time of the Harvest"

This expression signifies that the Harvest of this Age will not be an instantaneous work, but a gradual one, requiring time. There is good reason for believing that the Harvest of this Age is a period of forty years, as the Harvest of the Jewish Age was of that length.

In this time of the Harvest two things will be accomplished: (1) The "tares" will be gathered into "bundles," ready for the "burning"—destruction. (2) The "wheat," at the same time, will be gathered into the "garner"—the heavenly Kingdom.

They shall gather out of His Kingdom all things which offend, and them which do iniquity; * * * there shall be wailing and gnashing of teeth." There will be two classes amongst the "tares"; one class, "doers of iniquity" (inequality, unrighteousness), the other class, those that have caused others to stumble. Doubtless this will include many teachers and preachers, and many doers of wonderful works.

But we must not forget that we are considering a parable, and that the "tares" are symbolic, and likewise the "furnace" and the "fire." The interpretation is that, in the end of this

Age, the Harvest

time, there will be a great "time of trouble" for all nations, society, governments, financial institutions, etc.

The "wheat" class will be saved from that "time of trouble" by the resurrection.

"The harvest is the rection change. But end of the age."

The "tares" will not be saved from it; they will be cast into the trouble and have their portion with the hypocrites.

That trouble will not last forever.

Many Scriptures seem to show that it

will be terrific, but of very short duration.

It will be on the earth, and not in some far-off place.

When the "fire" of that great day of anarchy and trouble shall cease to "burn" there will be no more "tares," there will be no more people having mere forms of godliness and pretensions for the Kingdom, begotten of error.

All humanity will be humbled and anxious for Messiah's Kingdom, which

will then be established. It will be

"the desire of all nations." (Haggai II, 7.) Those formerly "tares," as well as

the remainder of the groaning creation,

will welcome it and its blessings. In

that Kingdom the glorified "wheat" class "shall shine forth as the sun" for

the blessing of all the families of the

earth. (Matt. viii, 13; Galatians viii, 23.)

STOLE AMULET, VERDICT

John C. Hartzell Found Guilty on Finger Print Evidence.

Chicago, July 26.—John C. Hartzell was found guilty of having stolen a golden amulet which at one time belonged to King Menes, who reigned over Egypt some 5,300 years ago, by a jury in Judge George Kersten's court.

The amulet was discovered by a group of exploring professors in the bed of the River Nile twelve years ago. It was stolen from the Haskell Oriental museum of the University of Chicago on February 17.

The finger print system was the sole evidence on which the state based the prosecution.

GIDEONS MEET IN ATLANTA

Christian Commercial Travelers' Association Open Annual Convention.

Atlanta, Ga., July 26.—The annual convention of the Gideons, the organization of Christian commercial travelers, opened here today with an attendance of hundreds of enthusiastic representatives of the 10,000 members of the society. They have come from every state in the Union and from Canada. The convention is being held in the Piedmont hotel and will continue through Sunday.

Homestead Has \$100,000 Fire.

Pittsburgh, Pa., July 26.—Fire de-

stroyed the physical testing laboratory of the Homestead steel works. The

loss is \$100,000. All the government

inspector's records of tests of ordi-

nance were burned.

STORY OF CHAUFFEUR

Driver of Auto Gives Names of Rosenthal Slayers.

Lieutenant Becker Changes His Mind and Decides to Go Before the Grand Jury.

New York, July 26.—District Attorney Whitman obtained from William Shapiro, driver of the gray automobile, the names of the men who rode in the car the evening Herman Rosenthal, the gambler, was shot. Other details of the movements of the plotters the evening preceding the murder were also obtained.

Following Shapiro's examination subpoenas were issued for several witnesses of the shooting whose names have not appeared in the case before. Shortly after Shapiro had told his story detectives brought to the district attorney a gang member named "Boob" Waller, who was in the Metropole shortly before Rosenthal was killed.

John J. Reisler, or "John the Barber," recovered his memory after spending a night in a cell, where he was held on a charge of perjury, and made an affidavit confirming his original testimony that he had seen "Bridgy" Webber running away from the Metropole after Rosenthal was shot.

Policeman Lieutenant Becker saw a new light and decided to go before the grand jury. He expressed great disappointment when he was informed that he could not be heard at present.

LEAVES 111 DESCENDANTS

Woman, Illinois Pioneer, Dead, Had 50 Grandchildren.

Pontiac, Ill., July 26.—Mrs. Catherine Teach, who was one of the early settlers of this city and vicinity, died near Fairfield, where she was visiting, at the age of ninety-one. She leaves 111 direct descendants—ninety children, 50 grandchildren, 51 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

Collector Defies MacVeagh.

Washington, July 26.—Secretary MacVeagh has received the formal refusal of Joseph O. Thompson to resign as collector of internal revenue for Alabama and Mississippi. Mr. Thompson is one of the leaders of the Roosevelt forces in Alabama. He was asked to resign by Mr. MacVeagh.

Aviator Has Narrow Escape.

Hopkinsville, Ky., July 26.—Aviator Dallydow Thompson of the Little Thompson Aviation school of Chicago, had a narrow escape here when the can shaft in the motor of a biplane he was driving broke. He was about ninety feet high and landed safely in a wheat field.

SERIOUS CHARGE MADE

Drunken Orgies Held at Camp Douglas Say Visitors.

Regulars and Guardsmen in "War Game" in Wisconsin Making Campaign a Mockery, It is Said.

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DESTROYED A GOLDEN MYTH

Moral Seems to Be Let Children Discover the Truth About Santa Claus for Themselves.

It had been a hard year for the father of the family and the coming of Christmas had something of terror in it for him when he thought of how much less in the way of gifts he could do than he would have liked.

But what hurt worst was that, having had to meet some heavy bills, he found it would be quite impossible to buy the bicycle that he had promised his boy Santa Claus would bring.

He was sorry for the disappointment that he knew the lad would feel and he decided that it would be best not to wait and have the disappointment come on Christmas day. So he went to the lad, a manly little chap, and said:

"Look here, my boy, you are old enough now to understand things. Each Christmas when you received gifts you supposed, and, indeed, we told you, they were brought by Santa Claus.

"As a matter of fact, Santa Claus is only a make-believe, a tradition that has come down through the ages to help make the Christmas season brighter and happier and less selfish for children. The truth is that your mother and myself have always been your Santa Claus."

"This year, sonny, things have not been going very well with me and I can't just afford that bicycle that you thought Santa Claus was going to bring you."

"Be a brave little man about it and we'll have a merry Christmas anyway, and maybe early in the year I'll be able to get it for you. But I really can't afford it now. You won't mind, very much, will you?"

"Why—no—dad," said the lad, though he had to fight a bit to keep the tears out of his eyes.

"But," he said, thoughtfully, "no Santa Claus! Why, I believed in him, say, dad, you haven't been fooling me about Jesus, too, have you?"—St. Louis Republic.

Church Announcement

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST

316 First St.
Sunday service 11 a. m. Subject,
Sunday school 9:45 a. m.
Wednesday testimony meeting at
8 p. m.

Reading rooms at 316 First St.,
open daily except Sunday from 2 to
4 p. m. All Christian Science literature
may be read and procured
here.

Everybody welcome to services and
reading rooms.

GRACE EVANGELICAL CHURCH

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. O. E.
Strock, Sup'.

Public worship at 10:45 a. m. Subject, "The Natural Cry of the Soul."

There will be no evening services
nor Wednesday prayer meeting during
the Assembly.

Oakdale Camp Meeting begins on
Aug. 5 and closes on the 25th. All
who desire rooms or tents reserved
should write to Amos Yordy, Shandon,
Ill., as soon as possible.

Geo. A. Smith, Pastor.

CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

Cor. 3rd and Madison Ave.

Olin F. Shaw, Minister.

Morning theme, "Looking From
the Clouds."

Evening discourse, "The Sunny
Side; Find It and Keep It."

Public worship, 11 a. m. and 7:45
p. m.

A cordial invitation to all services.

ZION'S LUTHERAN

Sunday school, 10 a. m.

Preaching service, 11 a. m.

Rev. L. B. Heisley of Waterville,
Kas., who has been invited to become
pastor of the South Dixon charge,

will conduct the services. Rev. Heisley
has been in the ministry twenty
years and has been pastor of his first
and only charge during all this time.

If he should decide to come to Lee
county he will make many friends.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN

F. D. Altman, D. D., Pastor.

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 11.
No evening service.

Rev. W. F. Barnett of Sharon,
Wis., will preach at the morning service.
Rev. Barnett is a college friend
of the pastor and comes with his family
to enjoy an outing and the good
things at Rock River Assembly. He
will tent at the Assembly park.

CHURCH OF GOD.
Services in Miller's hall Sunday
at 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m., con-
ducted by S. J. Lindsay of Oregon.

A cordial invitation is extended to
all.

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.

Public worship at 10:45 a. m. No
evening service. The pastor will
preach at the morning service.

Fred D. Stone, Pastor.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Samuel E. Fisher Minister.

"The Hidden Treasure" will be
the subject of our morning sermon
Sunday.

No service will be held in the ev-
ening.

GERMAN LUTHERAN

Theo. Drexel, Pastor.

There will be no services Sunday
morning, the pastor going to Franklin
Grove.

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

No evening service during the hot
weather.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Dr. Ralph Maclay Crissman, D. D.,
pastor.

Morning worship, 10:30. Sermon
by Rev. C. Edward Derr of Lena, Ill.
Sabbath school at close of morning
service.

Mid-week service, Wednesday at
7:30 p. m.

Robert Wheeler, Wellington Smith
and Misses Adrian and Stevens of
Pawpaw visited at the home of Mr.
and Mrs. W. B. McMahan last even-
ing.

Mrs. Curtis Betts and Mrs. Percy
Ford of Chicago and Miss Mary Hus-
sey of Franklin Grove were visitors
at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L.
Zarger of this city last evening.

No services, except those held by
the Sunday school and the Christian

GOLD MEDAL CONTEST AT TRINITY CHURCH

Sterling Gazette: The gold medal contest which was held at the Trinity church Thursday night, was well attended. The program was good and well rendered. The following were the contestants: Mrs. Maud Torgeson, Mrs. Harry Byers and Mrs. Mary Mossholder of South Dixon; Mrs. Carl Burgett of Dixon, and Mrs. Louise Eshelman of Sterling.

Mrs. L. L. Emmons, Prof. E. T. Austin and Rev. Barr acted as the judges. The gold medal was awarded to Mrs. Mary Mossholder of South Dixon. Music was furnished by the talent of the church.

AMBOY NEWS ITEMS

July 25—The ladies of the Congregational Missionary society met with Mrs. R. L. Jenkins at her home on Blackstone street, Wednesday afternoon, from 3 to 5 o'clock, and a very pleasant afternoon was spent. The religion of China was the subject considered in the readings that made up the greater part of the program. Miss Ruth Walters rendered two vocal solos, which were much enjoyed. Ice cream and cake were served after the close of the program.

Mrs. W. B. Vaughan gave a reception Tuesday afternoon at her home on Plant street for Mrs. Lumley Ingledew and Miss Clark of Chicago, who are visiting friends and relatives here.

Mrs. M. J. Staup entertained a company with cards Tuesday evening at her home on Plant street.

The new seats for the Methodist church are being placed in position and the church will soon be ready for use. The audience room of the church has been closed for several weeks, during which time it has been entirely refinished and redecorated.

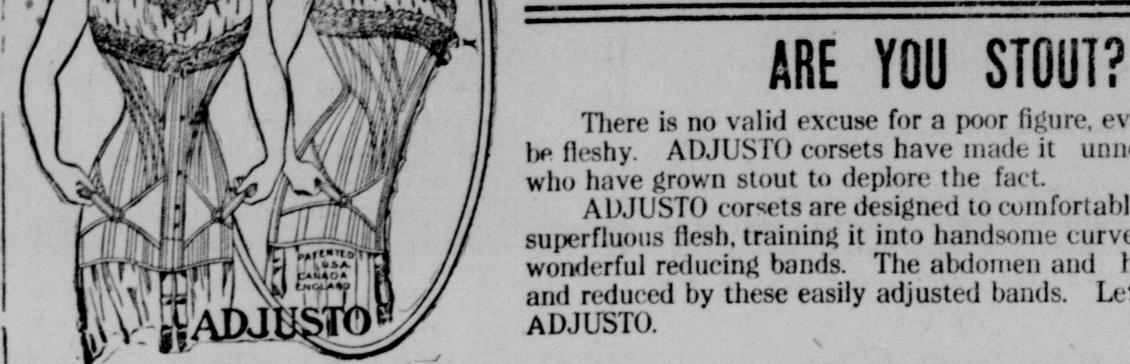
The Baptist pulpit is being filled for the present by Rev. J. W. Newsome, who was formerly pastor of the Baptist church in Walnut, but who is now a student in the Chicago University.

No services, except those held by the Sunday school and the Christian

ROYAL WORCESTER & BON TON NON RUSTABLE CORSETS. THE SECRET IS OUT.

Ease and grace are telling charms, and it is a clever woman who makes the most of them. The makers of the world-renowned Royal Worcester and Bon Ton corsets in all the models follow the natural outlines of the figure, skillfully adapting them to the dictates of prevailing fashion.

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Royal Worcester corsets - \$1.00, 1.50, 2.00, 2.50

Bon Ton corsets - \$3.00, 3.50

Adjusto corsets - \$3.00, 3.50

A. L. Geisenheimer

Endeavor society, are being held in of Jesus Christ are not the only teachers of God's external truths; nor have they been able always to teach these truths with the understanding that reveals their power for good in the world today. Most ministers, like the old fashioned farmer, put too much dependence in the past. It is not so much in loyalty to the past, as in fidelity to present and future generations of mankind that ministers may become great teachers

Mrs. George Lewis was a Dixon visitor Thursday. Mrs. O'Malley of Ohio visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Zeek, this week. John Herrick of Herrick Bros. & Co. of Chicago, was in Amboy on business Thursday. Mrs. Patrick Hogan and daughter Nellie are visiting relatives in Chicago and Freeport.

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Our aim is to give DIXON AND THE SURROUNDING COUNTRY the best.

If you want a cheap furnace, put in cheap, one of those tin-can affairs, don't bother us.

We want your future business on a quality line.

We want our customers to say, "I HAVE FORGOTTEN WHAT I PAID FOR IT, BUT IT HAS ALWAYS WORKED FINE."

No manufacturer or merchant ever made or kept the respect and confidence of a community by handling junk goods.

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Mr. E. J. Ferguson, Dixon, Illinois, March 7th, 1912

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Notice how the slots in the fire bowl are constructed, having a large hollow tube (the size of a broom handle) extending up through the metal of the bowl and slots to conduct the air from these tubes in to the side of the fire. These tubes sit directly over larger ones in the ash-pit.

The air passing up through these tubes all around the fire-bowl causes the fire to burn evenly all around and to heat evenly. This even heating is the reason that the XXth. Century Fire-Bowls do not crack or burn out.

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On Friday and Saturday, July 26th and 27th we will place on special sale the following articles.

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1 lot Ladies' and Misses' white lingerie and linen dresses in tailored and trimmed styles. Values up to \$6.50 and 7.00. Friday and Saturday special.....

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1 lot fine batiste lawns in black and white, also colored patterns. Friday and Saturday special.....

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1 lot 32 in. French gingham in plaid and stripe effects. Regular 25c value. Friday and Saturday special per yd.....

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1 lot percales in blue, grey, white and black etc. Friday and Saturday special per yd.....

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1 lot Gossard corsets. "They Lace in Front." Sizes 18 to 30. Our regular \$3.50 model. Friday and Saturday special.....

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1 lot Nemo corsets. This is a model we are discontinuing. Sizes 18 to 24. Friday and Saturday special.....

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ASSEMBLY NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Trout, and son, Theo, Jr., and daughter, Miss Florence of Sterling, and Miss Effie Tillman of Penrose will spend the next two weeks camping at the Assembly. Miss Edna Schuck of Milwaukee will be a guest at their tent on First street over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Taummel, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Royer of Sterling, Miss Sophia Reitz of Pasadena, Cal., and Mrs. Menietta Mason of Sterling are camping at the Thummel cottage during the chautauqua.

Mrs. John E. Hunt and Mrs. H. Bissell of Oak Park will occupy the Leake cottage at the Assembly park during the next two weeks.

J. W. Gray and family of Lee Center have moved into their cottage at the Assembly, to remain over the chautauqua session.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Watts, Miss Clea Bunnell and sons, Elwin and Willard, are campers at the Assembly this year.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Atkins and daughter, Miss Dorothy, are among the campers at the chautauqua this season.

A. E. Taylor and family have moved into their tent on First street to camp for the next two weeks.

A. C. Gossman and family are among the Dixon campers at the Assembly.

Mrs. Agnes Alday, Miss Christl Jappe, Carl Jappe, Iola Parmelee and Lawrence King of Davenport are in camp at the Assembly.

Rev. W. L. Wiltberger and family of Dover, have taken up camp on Central avenue at the Assembly. Mesdames S. L. Reed, C. E. Lincoln, A. L. Mench of Sterling, M. J. Ward of Indiana, O. E. Hann and daughters Helen and Estella of Sterling are campers at the Assembly for two weeks.

THE BORDEAUX MIXTURE

A Liquid Application of Great Value in the Warfare Against Various Fungus Diseases.

Farmers, gardeners and fruit raisers can not fence out the many forms of insects and fungi which live upon their crops and which are as anxious for a harvest as is the grower. It is a fight between the grower and the pest and the latter has generally had the best of the battle. The farmer has not been properly equipped. He has often had invisible foes—foes which he did not understand, hence could not assail them and the general result has been that the insect or the fungus obtained an ample supply of nourishment and the grower has taken what was left, but, thanks to science, he need suffer in ignorance no longer.

Power in Knowledge.

A study of the investigations and experiments which have placed in the hands of the intelligent grower effective methods of warfare is as interesting as it is important; it reveals an educational movement that stands unparalleled in the effect it has had in broadening the horizon of the agriculturist. It has forced him to see that there is more in his business than in following the rule-of-thumb process so long in vogue.

It has emphasized the power of knowledge and it has demonstrated and is daily impressing the fact upon all who take the trouble to see, that it requires more brains than brawn to

succeed in an occupation at which even the most ignorant could be at least fairly successful. The ignorant are going to the wall and the student—the book farmer, if you please, is pushing them along and filling their places when they are gone.

Bordeaux Mixture Perfected.

For the purpose of answering brief our many inquiries about Bordeaux Mixture and its use, it will be sufficient to say that in 1886 a great many men conducted experiments to test the value of the compounds of copper, very few other substances being used, and among them was A. Millardet, professor in the Academy of Science, Bordeaux, France and to him may justly be given the credit for discovering the value and use of the preparation which was destined to prove superior to all fungicides that have been used to this day, and which is now so well known, under the name of Bordeaux Mixture, and readily made on any farm.

The composition of the Standard or 3.6 per cent Bordeaux Mixture is as follows:

Copper Sulphate 6 lbs.

Quicklime 4 lbs.

Water 22 gals.

This form was at first extensively used, but it was found that a more dilute mixture would answer the purpose equally as well, so it was practically abandoned for the mixture which may now be termed Normal, or 1.6 per cent Bordeaux Mixture and the following is the composition:

Copper Sulphate 6 lbs.

Quicklime 4 lbs.

Water 45 gals.

To Make Bordeaux Mixture.

The Normal or 1.6 per cent Bordeaux Mixture is made by dissolving 6 pounds of sulphur in 32 gallons of water, while in another vessel four pounds of lime is slackened in 13 gallons of water, the two liquids then being slowly allowed to mix, and the preparation is ready for use.

It is interesting as well as important to know that while Bordeaux Mixture is our most valued fungicide it also possesses a marked insecticidal value, as flea-beetles appear to be most easily overcome or driven away by this preparation.

No farm or garden, no matter how small, can be considered fully equipped without a supply of Bordeaux Mixture and suitable apparatus for applying it.—Illinois Farmers' Institute, Springfield, Ill.

SEEK DAMAGES OF MEXICO

Senate Starts Move to Secure Redress for American Loss.

Washington, July 26.—The Senate passed a joint resolution directing the secretary of war to investigate claims of American citizens growing out of the troubles in Mexico. It provides for a commission to determine what sums are due Americans and to press them for payment. The Senate's action follows closely Senator Fall's condemnation of the government's failure to secure redress for Americans. The house has not yet acted upon it.

Gabby Street Released. New York, July 26.—Catcher Charles Street, it was announced here, has been released by the New York Americans to the Providence club of the International league. "Gabby" Street came to the Yankees from Washington early last season.

Earl Janvrin of Morrison was in town today.

City In Brief

S. J. Lindsay of Oregon will preach in Miller's hall Sunday at 10:45 a.m. and 7:45 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Hark Bettico of Oregon visited with Mrs. E. Brayton of 702 West First street Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Reynolds will leave soon for Mudavia, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Harvey who will remain for a week going from there to Kittery Point, Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Roe and family, who have been touring the west, will arrive home at 7:33 this evening. They arrived in Chicago yesterday.

Samuel Ullrich of Lee Center was here last evening.

Burnham Keigwin of Hamilton was here yesterday transacting business.

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CHAPTER XII.

The Caravan in the Desert.

Yes, George vanished from the haunts of men as completely as if the Great Roc had dropped him into the Valley of Diamonds and left him there; and as nobody knows just where the Valley of Diamonds is, George was very well lost. Still, there was, at the end of a most unique experience, a recompense far beyond its value. But, of course, George being without the gift of clairvoyance, saw nothing save the immediate and imminent circumstances: a door that banged behind him, portentously; a sack, a cloak, a burnouse, or whatever it was, flung about his head, and smothering evilly.

George hit out valiantly, and a merry scuffle ensued. The room was small; at least, George thought it was, for in the space of one minute he thumped against the four sides of it. He could see nothing and he couldn't breathe very well; but in spite of these inconveniences he put up three rounds that would have made some stir among the middleweights. In the phraseology of the fancy, he had a good punch. All the disappointments of the day seemed to become so many pounds of steam in his shoulder; and he was aware of a kind of barbaric joy whenever he hit some one. All the circumspection of years, all of the gentle blood of his peaceful forbears, gave way to the strain which still lurks in the blood of civilized humanity, even in the veins of poets and parsons. He fought with all the tactics of a sailor in a bar-room, not overnicely.

A table toppled over with a smashing noise. George and his assailants fell in a heap beside it. Thwack! Bang! George struggled to his feet and tugged at the stifling envelope. Some one jumped upon his back, Old Man of the Sea style. A savage elbow-jab disposed of this incubus. And then the racket began all over again. George never paused mentally to wonder what all this rumpus was about; time enough to make inquiries after the scrimmage. Intrepidly, as Hereward the Wake, as Bussy d'Ambois, as Porthos in the cave of Lochmarie, George fought. He wasn't a trained athlete; he hadn't any science; he was simply ordinarily tough and active and clean-lived; and the injustice of an unprovoked assault added to physical prowess a full measure of nervous energy. It was quasi-Homerian: a modern young gentleman in evening dress holding off for several minutes five sleek, sinewy, unhampered Arabs. But the days of the gods were no more; and no quick-witted goddess cast a veil across the eyes of the Arabs. No; George had to shift for himself. Suddenly there came a general rush from the center of the room into one of the right-angular corners. The subsequent snarl of legs and arms was not unlike that seen upon the foot-ball field. George was the man with the ball. And then to George came merciful darkness. The conjunction, as in astronomy, of two planets in the same degree of the Zodiac—meaning George's head and the stucco-wall—gave the Arabs complete mastery of the field of battle.

From the opposite side of the room came the voice of the referee: "Curses of Allah upon these white dogs! How they fight!" And Mahomed peered down into the corner. One by one the Arabs got up, each examining his honorable wounds. George alone remained unmoved, quiet and disinterested, under the folds of the tattered burnouse.

"Is he dead?" demanded Mahomed.

"No, my father. His head hit the wall."

"Hasten, then. Bind his feet and hands and cover his eyes and mouth. We have but little time."

There was a long way to go, and Mahomed was too wise and cautious to congratulate himself at this early stage. George was therupon trussed up like a Christmas fowl ready for the oven. They wrapped him up in the burnouse and carried him out to the closed carriage in waiting. No one in the street seemed curious. No one in the English-Bar deemed it necessary to be. Whatever happened in this resort had long been written in the book of fate. Had a white man approached to inquire what was going on, Mahomed would have gravely whispered that it was a case of plague they were hurrying away to prevent interference by the English authorities.

Once George was snug inside the carriage, it was driven off at a run toward the tombs of the caliphs. As the roads were not the levellest, the vehicle went most of the way upon two wheels. Mahomed sat beside his victim, watchful and attentive. His intention was to take him no farther than the outskirts of the city, force him to send back to the hotel a duly credited messenger for the rug, after which he would turn George

sharply for him to sense a word. Later, a camel coughed. Camels? And where were they taking him upon a camel? Bagdad? Impossible: there were too many white men following the known camel-ways. He groaned a little, but the sound did not reach the ears of his captors. To ride a camel under ordinary conditions was a painful affair; but to straddle the ungainly brute, dressed as he was, in a swallow-tail and paper-thin pumps, did not promote any pleasurable thoughts. They would in all truth kill him before they got through. Hang the rug! And doubly hang the man who had sold it to him!

His whilom friend, conscience, came back and gibbered at him. Once he said: "Don't do it!" and now she was saying quite humanly: "I told you so!" Hadn't she warned him? Hadn't she swung her red lantern under his very nose? Well, she hoped he was satisfied. His reply to this brief jere-miad was that if ever he got his hands upon the rug again, he would hang on till the crack of doom, and conscience herself could go hang. More perverseness, probably. And where was it, since he was now certain that Mahomed had it not? It was Ry-anne: Ry-anne, smooth and plausible of tongue. Not being satisfied with a thousand pounds, he had stolen it again to mulct some other simple, trustful person. George, usually so unsuspecting, was now quite willing to believe anything of anybody.

He felt himself being lifted to his feet. The rope round his ankles was thrown off. His feet stung under the renewed flow of blood. He waited for them to liberate his hands, but the galling rope was not disturbed. It was evident that the natives still entertained some respect for his fighting ability. Next, they hoisted him, flung a leg here and a leg there; then came a lurch backward, the recurrence of the pain in his side, and he knew that he was upon the back of a camel, desert-bound. There were stirrups, and as life began to spread vigor once more through his legs, he found the steel. The straps were too short, and in time the upper part of the steel chafed his insteps. He eased himself by riding sideways, the proper way to ride a camel, but with constant straining to keep his balance without the use of his hands. Fortunately, they were not traveling very fast, otherwise, what with the stabbing pains in his side, produced by the unvarying dog-trot, he must have fallen. He was miserable, yet defiant; tears of anger and pain filled his eyes and burned down his cheeks in spite of the cloth.

And he, poor fool, had always been longing for an adventure, a taste of life outside the peaceful harbor wherein he had sailed his cat-boat! Well, here he was, in the deep-sea water; and he read himself so truly that he knew the adventure he had longed for had been the cut-and-dried affairs of story-tellers, in which only the villains were seriously discomfited, and everything ended happily. A dashing hero he was, to be sure! Why hadn't he changed his clothes? Was there ever such an ass? Ry-anne had told him that there was likely to be sport; and yet he had left the hotel as one dressed for the opera. Ass! And to-morrow the Ludwig would sail without him.

The wind blew cold against his brutal hand. Queer fancies flit through a man's head in times like this; for the ineffectuality of the bite reminded him of Hallowe'en and the tube with the bobbing apples. One thing was certain: he would kill this pagan the very first opportunity. Rather a startling metamorphosis in the character of a man whose life had been passed in the peaceful environments. And to kill him without the least compunction, too. To strike a man who couldn't help himself!

"Hey there!" he yelled. "Help for a white man!" After such treatment he considered it anything but dishonorable to break his parole. And where was Ry-anne? "Help!"

Mahomed swung his arm round George's neck, and the third cry began with a gurgle and ended with a sigh. Deftly, the Arab rebanded his prisoner's mouth. So be it. He had had his chance for freedom; now he should drink to the bottom of the bitter cup, along with the others. He had no real enmity against George; he was simply one of the pawns in the game he was playing. But now he saw that there was danger in liberating him. The other! Mahomed caressed his wiry beard. To subject him to the utmost mental agony; to break him physically, too; to bruise, to hurt, to rack him, that was all Mahomed desired.

George made no further effort to free himself, nor apparently to bestir himself about the future. Somewhere in the night, presumably as he fell against the table, he had received a crushing blow in the small ribs; and when Mahomed threw him back, he fainted for the second time in his life. He reclined limply in the corner of the carriage, the bosom of his shirt bulging open; for the thrifty Arabs had purloined the pearl-studs, the gold collar-buttons, and the sapphire cuff-links. And consciousness returned only when they lifted him out and dropped him inconsiderately into the thick dust of the road. He stirred again at his bonds, but presently lay still. The pain in his side hurt keenly, and he wasn't sure that the rib was whole. What time had passed since his entrance to the English-Bar was beyond his reckoning, but he knew that it was yet in the dark of night, as no light whatever penetrated the cloth over his eyes. That he was somewhere outside the city he was assured by the tang of the winter wind. He heard low voices—Arabic; and while he possessed a smattering of the tongue, his head ached too

tame tiger, as it were, had had his first taste of blood.

Dawn, dawn; if only the horizon would brighten up a little so that he could get his bearings. By now they were at least fifteen or twenty miles from Cairo; but in what direction?

Hour after hour went by; over this huge grey roll of sand, down into that cup-like valley; soundless save when the camels protested or their stirrups clinked against a buckle; all with the somber aspect of a scene from Dante. Several black spots, moving in circles far above, once attracted George; and he knew them to be kites, which will follow a caravan into the desert even as a gull will follow a ship out to sea. Later, a torpid indifference took possession of him, and the sense of pain grew less under the encroaching numbness.

And when at last the splendor of the dawn upon the desert flashed like a sword-blade along the sky in the east, grew and widened, George comprehended one thing clearly, that they were in the Arabian desert, out of the main traveled paths, in the middle of nowhere.

His sense of beauty did not respond to the marvel of the transformation. The dark grey of the sand-hills that became violet at their bases, to fade away upward into little pinacles of shimmering gold; the drab, formless, scattered boulders, now assuming clear-cut shapes, transfused with ruby and sapphire glowing; the sun itself that presently lifted its rosy warning circle above the stepping-off place—George saw but noted not. The physical picture was overshadowed by the one he drew in his mind: the good ship Ludwig, boring her way out into the sea.

The sun was free from the desert's rim when the leading camel was halted. A confusion ensued; the camels following stupidly into one another, in a kind of panic. Out of the silence came a babble of voices, a grunting, a clatter of pack-baskets and saddle-bags. George, as his camel kneeled, slid off involuntarily and tumbled against a small hillock, and lay there, without any distinct sense of what was going on round him. The sand, fine and mobile, formed a couch comfortably under his aching body; and he fell asleep, exhausted. Already the impalpable dust, which had risen and followed the caravan all through the night, had powdered his clothes, and his face was stained and streaked. His head lay in the sand, his soft feathers crushed under his shoulders. What with the bruises visible, the rents in his coat, the open shirt, soiled, crumpled, collarless, he invited pity; only none came from the busy Arabs. As he slept, a frown gathered upon his face and remained there.

When he came back from his troubled dreams, a bowl of rice, thinned by hot water, was given him. He cleaned the bowl, not because he was hungry, but because he knew that somewhere along this journey he would need strength; and the recurring fury against his duress caused him to fling the empty bowl at the head of the camel-boy who had brought it. The boy ducked, laughing. George lay down again. Let them cut his throat if they wanted to; it was all the same to him. Again he slept, and when he was roughly and forcibly awakened, he sat up with a snarl and looked about.

His head was clear now, and he began to take notes. He counted ten, eleven, twelve, camels, a caravan in truth, prepared for a long and continuous journey. There were three pack-camels, laden with wood, tents, and such cooking utensils as the frugal Arab had need of. Certainly Mahomed was a rich man, whether he owned the camels or hired them for the occasion. Upon one of the beasts they were putting up a mahmal, a canopy used to protect women from the sun while riding. One Arab, taller, more robust than the others, moved hither and thither authoritatively. Wound about his turban or fez was a bright green cuffia, signifying that the wearer had made the pilgrimage to Holy Mecca. This individual George assumed to be Mahomed himself. And he recognized him as the beggar over whom he had stumbled two nights gone. Pity he hadn't known, and pitched him into the Nile when he had the chance.

Mahomed completed his directions and walked leisurely toward George, but his attention was not directed toward him. A short distance away, at George's left, was a man, stretched out as if in slumber. Over his inert figure Mahomed watched. He drew back his foot and kicked the sleeping man soundly, smiling amiably at the while; a kick which had Mahomed's foot been cased in western leather, must have stove in the sleeper's ribs. C. C. Fisher is supplying the town of Scarborough and the surrounding neighborhood with the choicest new potatos.

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Mrs. Joe Buss of Malta, formerly of Nachusa, is expected here this week to visit friends.

Mrs. Barkman and Mrs. Oscar Eicholtz were entertained at supper last night by Mrs. Henrietta Smith.

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It Was Ry-anne—the Erstwhile Affable Ry-anne

WEST BROOKLYN NEWS

It was impossible to hold the band concert Saturday night, due to the heavy rain fall which descended during the evening hours.

Chris July and family were visitors in West Brooklyn Monday morning.

Charles Stout was over from Comp-ton Monday afternoon visiting with his many friends.

Mrs. Charles Linke returned home Sunday from Sublette where she has been staying at the Edward Erbes home, caring for a little granddaughter which came to bless the Erbes home July 13th.

Chris Zimmerlein was a visitor on our streets Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bushbaum of Chicago, arrived in West Brooklyn Saturday night to remain for a couple of weeks' visit with their many relatives and friends in this neighborhood.

John Fassig and son George motored to town Tuesday morning in their new automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver L. Gehant were passengers for Harmon Saturday evening to visit over Sunday with their folks.

W. U. Biggart was in town from Lee Center township Monday afternoon.

F. W. Meyer was in Chicago Monday in the interests of the big store, and his many patrons. Watch for his ad immediately after the summer clearance sale and note what he has to say. Mr. Meyer is one of those hustling merchants who believes in letting you know what he has to sell.

You have made a visit to the big clearing sale which is now under full sway?

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Henry came over from east of Compton Monday evening and spent it with friends in West Brooklyn.

Harvester hands have been mighty scarce this week, and all our townsmen who could be induced to come out into the oats field were taken along to help with the work.

August Gehant and wife, together with their daughter Stella were visitors in West Brooklyn Monday afternoon.

Elmo Litts was an evening passenger for Amboy Saturday where he visited with friends over Sunday.

Frank Chaon was in town transacting business Tuesday forenoon.

M. M. Fell was over from Steward Monday afternoon in the interests of the Illinois Life Insurance Co.

Jos. B. Mettler was a business visitor in our village Tuesday morning.

W. J. Smith was in West Brooklyn Monday on business with a number of our citizens. Mr. Smith is in the News office at Dixon.

Nich Hahn and Adam Roeder were visitors in this city Monday afternoon.

J. H. Husk of Shabbona was in West Brooklyn Tuesday, one for Emil Bresen and son one for Toby Vatney.

C. C. Fisher was in Mendota Friday afternoon.

The Smile and Work club of the Evangelical church will hold a lawn social at the home of Miss Ida Durin July 31. A fine program has been prepared. Ice cream and cake will be served for refreshments.

Sunday school Sunday at 10 a. m. and preaching at 11 a. m. in the Twin Grove school house until the church is located in Scarborough.

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SHAW

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Miss Emma Simpson of Amboy spent a few days at the Hiel Bronson home.

Mr. Jake Rosenkrans and daughter Mary of Spencer, Ia., have been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Miller.

Mrs. George Clark and two sons spent Wednesday with Mrs. Chris July.

Mrs. William Turner fell and broke her hip Saturday morning. She is past 81 years and it was a very bad fall for such an old lady. We wish her a good recovery.

Mrs. Clayton Rockwood and child have gone too Wayne, Ill., to visit her mother who is old and feeble.

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6 8:21 a. m. 8:45 a. m.

10 5:45 a. m. 8:20 a. m.

24 6:22 a. m. 9:05 a. m.

28 7:21 a. m. 10:15 a. m.

8 8:23 a. m. 11:20 a. m.

14 10:55 a. m. 1:30 p. m.

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17 7:00 a. m. ex Sun 10:14 a. m.

9 7:30 a. m. Sun only 10:43 a. m.

13 9:30 a. m. 12:06 p. m.

19 12:30 p. m. ex Sun 2:43 p. m.

27 4:35 p. m. 7:29 p. m.

11 6:05 p. m. 8:40 p. m.

25 6:10 p. m. 8:57 p. m.

** 8:20 p. m. 11:05 p. m.

7 10:16 p. m. 12:53 a. m.

8 10:45 p. m. 1:57 a. m.

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10/28/50 Assembly Park 20/50/10

13/33/53 Galena & Fellow 27/47 7

17/37/57 Galena & First 23/43 8

20/40/60 Office 20/40/60

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First car leaves at 5:50 a. m. and

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Quaker Puff Rice, per package	15c
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Oil Sardines, package	5, 10, 12½, 15, 20 and 25c
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**PROF. STRONG'S
College of Music
WILL HOLD ITS
Annual Commencement Exercises**

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The following specials we are offering for this week

Barefoot sandals, 5 to 8	.45c
Barefoot sandals 8 1-2 to 11 1-2	.55c
Barefoot sandals 12 to 2	.65c
Children's and misses' white canvas low soles and sandals	.50 to .90c
Ladies' white canvas low shoes and sandals	.50c to \$1.00
Boys' white canvas low shoes and sandals	.50c to .75c
Ladies' white canvas low shoes and sandals	.50c to \$1.00
Boys' white canvas low shoes and sandals	.50c to .75c
Pingree's and Rice-Hinchin's goods sold regularly at \$3.50. Our prices \$1.25 to .75. Bought at bankrupy sale. 2 in 1 shoe polish \$1.50 a box. Best tubular shoe soles 5c a doz. 500 pair ladies' black seamstress hose 5c a pair. Large 10c cakes lava soap 5c a cake.	

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NEWS OF ILLINOIS

A Telegraphic Chronicle of State Happenings.

FIGHT LEGALITY OF RECALL

Mayor Schriver and Commissioner Hart of Rock Island Employ Council in Effort to Hold Their Official Positions.

Rock Island, July 26.—Counsel has been retained by Mayor H. Schriver and Commissioner Archie M. Hart to fight in the courts the legality of the recall petitions that have just been filed against those two officials. The attempt to recall Schriver and Hart is an echo of last spring's riots in which two were killed. Mayor Schriver declares that the same elements that produced the riots are back of the recall. Those elements, he says, are keepers of dives and disreputable saloons that have been put out of business by him and Commissioner Hart.

Inspecting Dairies of State.
Springfield, July 26.—The Illinois state board of health has resumed its inspection of dairies, and six inspectors, under the direction of Dr. C. E. Crawford of Rockford, are visiting dairies to see that the rules and regulations of the state board of health are complied with.

In cases where violations are found written notices are given, and the improvements must be made within a specified time.

The inspections will be general throughout the state. All dairies within a radius of fifty miles from the city of Chicago are inspected by representatives of the state board of health and representatives of the Chicago board of health.

The six inspectors who are at work under the direction of Dr. C. E. Crawford are G. W. Eldridge, Richmond; W. E. Peabody, Decatur; P. S. Monner, Scales Mound; S. E. Nichols, Lebanon; G. G. Bateman, Metropolis, and John H. Preston, Pekin.

Chisholm's Name Dropped.

Springfield, July 26.—John W. Chisholm of Bloomington was formally dropped as a Republican presidential elector, having notified Secretary of State Doyle in due form of his withdrawal. Chisholm, who has decided to follow the destinies of the new third national party, undertook to withdraw as Republican elector several days ago, but failed to comply with the law in sending in his resignation. Due notification will be sent to the Republican state committee, and a new elector will be appointed to fill the vacancy.

Road to Be Object Lesson.

Springfield, July 26.—Work begun on the one-mile stretch of experimental hard road that is to be built out of Carlville, under the supervision of A. N. Johnson, state highway commissioner. The road is to be built directly west from the city, on one of the main traveled highways of the county. It will be of macadam and is designed to illustrate to the residents of Macoupin county the advantages to be derived from general road improvement.

Seek Teachers' Certificates.

Springfield, July 26.—Examinations of teachers for state certificates are in progress this week in eight Illinois cities. The tests are conducted under the direction of the state superintendent of public instruction. A total of 257 are writing the examination, which is being conducted at the state house in this city, at the University of Illinois at Champaign, the University of Chicago, and at each of the five state normal schools.

Saves Mokena From Fire.

Joliet, July 26.—Mokena was saved from disastrous fire by the presence of mind of Mary Blake, telephone operator. Miss Blake discovered Martin's general store afame and called up every person in the village. She was able to get a fire-fighting brigade to work in ten minutes. The men extinguished several buildings and only one structure was totally razed. The loss totals \$35,000.

State Fair Attractions Decided Upon.

Springfield, July 26.—Attractions for the 1912 state fair were decided upon at a meeting of the attractions committee of the state board of agriculture held here. The committee members are Jacob Goodall of Marion, August W. Miller of Chicago and L. O. Skiles of Virginia.

Chicago Population, 2,381,700.

Chicago, July 26.—Chicago's population is 2,381,700, according to the estimate made from the figures of the biennial school census, just completed. These figures show an increase of 196,417 over the official federal census of 1910, which was 2,185,283.

Illinois Stream Being Surveyed.

Mount Vernon, July 26.—A party of engineers is surveying the Big Muddy river from a point near the south line of Jefferson county to the mouth of the stream, to form plans for dredging the river to make it navigable to the Mississippi.

Aged Woman Killed by Train.
Rockford, July 26.—Mrs. Caroline Martin was killed by a C. M. & St. Paul train at Rockton. The victim was eighty-six years of age and was returning home from a mission of mercy.

The BARGAIN COUNTER

MERCHANTS to Their Patrons

Try a box of Healo—now.

Eat butter cream bread wrapped in wax paper. Beler's Steam Bakery.

Kodaks and Supplies.
Famous Anesco line at Campbell's.

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Watch for the new red wagons and buy a loaf of that good butter cream bread. Beler's Steam Bakery.

60ft

COLLEGE OF MUSIC.

The Family theatre is leased for Friday evening, July 26, for the graduating concert. A large orchestra will assist in the program. Admission 10 cents. The public is cordially invited.

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WANTED. A COMPETENT WOMAN OR GIRL IS WANTED TO DO HOUSEWORK IN ASSEMBLY COTTAGE DURING ASSEMBLY. APPLY IMMEDIATELY AT THIS OFFICE, OR PHONE 992.

To Whom It May Concern.

This is to certify that I will not pay or be responsible for any debts contracted by my daughter, Cora Hanne.

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JOHN HANNE.

Healo is the best foot powder on the market. 25 cents a box at any drug store.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Georgiana Wynn, Deceased.

1912.

JOHN HANNE.

All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 11th day of July, A. D.

1912.

MARY F. WYNN,

633 Executrix.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Ellen Coffey, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed administratrix with will annexed of the estate of Ellen Coffey, Deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of Lee County at the Court House in Dixon at the September Term, on the First Monday in September next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 28th day of May, A. D.

1912.

ANNA M. COFFEY,

633 Administratrix.

KILLS IMMIGRATION MAN

American Refused as "Undesirable" Citizen Slay Canadian Official.

Detroit, Mich., July 26.—H. G. Herbert of Ottawa, a traveling Canadian immigration officer, was shot and killed on board a crowded Windsor-Detroit ferry by William Ferguson, an "undesirable" who had just been refused admittance into Canada. Ferguson is now under arrest at police headquarters.

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DR. STANLEY.

Surgeon Foot Specialist.

Dr. Stanley, the foot specialist, will be in Dixon at the Bishop Hotel on his regular trip Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, beginning July 28th.

Corns, bunions, ingrown nails,

bromodors, broken arches (the supposed rheumatism of the feet) treated and cured. Ask to see the non-

metal adjustable arch support, the lightest arc support on the market;

can be adjusted to suit the wearer. Dr. Stanley's U-Bot remedy for chilblains, excessive sweating,

itching, burning of the feet. Feet that smell in the shoes, try a bottle

and be convinced. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Calls made to all parts of the city without extra charge. Phone calls promptly attended to.